

HERO COMMISSION MAKES 24 AWARDS

AMONG THE HEROES REWARDED
IS A NEGRO.

THE FIRST ONE OF HIS RACE

A Large Proportion of the Rewards are to Persons Who Saved Others from Drowning—Total Number of Awards to Date is 126.

Pittsburg, Oct. 19.—The regular fall meeting of the Carnegie Hero Commission was held Friday in this city and last night, P. M. Willnot, the secretary, announced that 24 persons throughout the country had received awards for bravery.

The number is the largest in the history of the commission. With yesterday's awards 126 persons have benefited by the hero fund, and 1,121 persons have been refused either money or medals.

For the first time since the beginning of the hero fund, a negro, John B. Hill, of Atlanta, Ga., received an award.

Among those rewarded are: William J. Breen, 32 years old, New York City, awarded bronze medal, saved Christopher Powers from drowning in Hudson river.

Philip C. Progonzer, 24 years old, Bremen, New York City, bronze medal, saved Mrs. Annie Gentry from drowning in the ocean at Coney Island.

Leon Harris, 15 years old, Pensacola, Fla., bronze medal and \$500 for educational purposes, saved Bernard Z. Johnson from drowning.

Thomas F. Fisher, 39 years old, Boston, bronze medal and \$1,500 to liquidate mortgage on his property, saved William Fitzgerald, a boy, from drowning.

John B. Hill, 23 years old, a negro, Atlanta, Ga., bronze medal and \$500 to reimburse him on account of loss sustained by being injured, Hill saved several persons during a runaway accident. He was recovering from an operation and was injured again.

Ralph F. Berlin, 22 years old, Santa Rosa Island, Fla., bronze medal, saved three from drowning in Pensacola Bay.

Charles Weiss, 15 years old, Bath Beach, N. Y., bronze medal and \$2,000 for educational purposes, saved an unknown woman from drowning.

Frederick H. Harker, 11 years old, Ellenville, Kan., silver medal and \$2,000 for educational purposes, saved Emmott T. Gray from drowning.

Gabriel Farrell, 29 years old, Somerville, Mass., bronze medal and \$2,000 for educational purposes, saved two men from drowning.

James T. Farrell, 21 years old, a brother of Gabriel, assisted in the above rescue and a week later died from typhoid fever contracted in it.

He was in Charles river, bronze medal awarded to his father.

Caroline Stanton, 35 years old, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., major Salvation Army, silver medal and \$500 to reimburse her loss sustained on account of injuries, saved a child in a runaway accident and was herself seriously injured.

The last and largest award made was a gold medal and \$5,000 given to Andrew J. Hodge, 45 years old, of Santa Fe, Kan., who is county superintendent of schools, made a heroic rescue. Two men, Joseph King and William Nunn, were caught by a cave-in of sand while at the bottom of a deep well at Pierceville, Kan. Nunn was suffocated and King slowly dying. Kottelstehling, another cave-in occurred within a short time, Mr. Hodge was lowered into the well and succeeded in saving King and recovering Nunn's body.

The night following the rescue there was another fall of a ton or more of sand. The money awarded Mr. Hodge is to be used in educating his four children.

A Riot in New Orleans.

New Orleans, Oct. 19.—A party of negroes barricaded themselves in a house last night and started a small riot. The trouble started in front of the Second German Presbyterian church during services, when several negroes became boisterous. Patrolman Campbell, who tried to arrest them, was killed. The negroes ran to a nearby house, which they barricaded. With shotguns and revolvers they awaited the police, who stormed the house. Sergeant Campbell was mortally wounded and Patrolman Wench and Corporal Dunn received serious wounds. After a long siege the officers retreated the negroes by burning them out, mortally wounding one and arresting five.

A Collision of Steamships.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 19.—In a dense fog the Canadian Pacific steamer Tartar, from Vancouver for Hong Kong, collided with the Canadian Pacific steamer Charmer, from Victoria for Vancouver. The collision occurred Thursday night at the mouth of Fraser river, but on account of the fog the officers could not get into Vancouver with the news of the accident until Friday. The Charmer struck the Tartar squarely on the port bow, cutting through the Tartar's plates and crumpling the Charmer's bows. Both vessels began to fill, but the compartment bulkheads kept them from sinking.

Refused to Blacklist Fakirs.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The national spiritualists' association on Friday decided upon Indianapolis as the place for holding the next annual meeting.

Officers were elected as follows: President, George B. Wario, of Chicago; vice president, Charles R. Schmitt, of Baltimore; secretary, George W. Bates, of Cheney, Pa.; treasurer, Cassius S. Stevens, of Pittsburgh. A resolution providing that a "blacklist" be kept of mediums who have been exposed and that their names and pictures be published and distributed by the association was defeated.



PLUCKED IN THE OHIO FIELD.

Many Candidates for a Judgeship.

Columbus, O., Oct. 19.—Friends of the several candidates for appointment by Gov. Harris to the judgeship made vacant by the resignation of Judge McCarthy, of Canton, swooped down from that district Friday and laid siege to the governor's office.

W. S. Cappeller, editor of the Mansfield News, and J. D. Ladew, the republican county chairman, came down to urge the governor to appoint W. M. Weldon, now solicitor of Mansfield.

Col. J. J. Clark, of Canton; H. C. Koehler, of Alliance, and Representative Holmes and Senator Pollock, of Stark county, came to push the candidacy of J. W. Crane, of Canton. Other candidates are F. S. Sowers, of New Philadelphia; John Huston, of Millersburg, and Messrs. White and Glenn.

Is Charged with Many Crimes.

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 19.—Charged with opening mail, forging an indorsement on a United States check and with stealing a horse, Leo Wick was arrested here. He was employed by Dr. Brice, Erie, Pa., veterinary surgeon, who has a contract for carrying mail. Brice alleges Wick opened a letter, took out his pay check, indorsed and tried to cash it, then drove away with one of his horses.

Plan to Terminate Receivership.

Cincinnati, Oct. 19.—Plans for taking the Pere Marquette railroad out of the hands of a receiver and allowing it to reorganize received the sanction of Judge Lorton, of the federal court, Friday. All accounts with the road shall be submitted to Judson Harmon and William W. Crapo as arbitrators, who have plenary powers. If the arbitrators differ they are to name some third party.

Will Build \$25,000 Cow Barn.

Ravenna, O., Oct. 19.—Dan R. Hanna has let a contract to Jacob Widell, a Kent contractor, for a \$25,000 cow barn to be built on his land about a mile south of Freedom Station. The building will be 160x124 and will contain 170 stalls exclusive of a box stall department 29x20.

A Narrow Escape.

Youngstown, O., Oct. 19.—H. F. Critzer's home was set on fire Friday morning by the upsetting of a lamp. Frank Smith, Mrs. Critzer's father, was sick in bed. He was carried out just in time to save his life, but he was slightly burned.

Lupton's Training School Opens.

Alliance, O., Oct. 19.—"Apostle Levi's" training school for his new Zion of the "Gift of Tongues" set opened Friday. The attendance on the opening day was small. Most of Rev. Lupton's followers are expected to arrive Sunday.

Librarians Elect Officers.

Columbus, O., Oct. 19.—The meeting of the Ohio library association was held here Friday. Prof. Perrin, of Case school, Cleveland, was elected president, and Miss Anna Morse, of Youngstown, secretary.

Found Illegal Payments.

Columbus, O., Oct. 19.—J. C. Wood, one of the inspectors in the office of the state bureau of accounting, has filed his report of his inspection of the books of Ottawa county. He found illegal payments in the period covered by the examination, from September 1, 1903, to March 5, 1907, aggregating \$7,000.

Is Awarded \$5,160 Damages.

Cleveland, Oct. 19.—George Pearson, a ship carpenter, was given a verdict for \$5,160 against the Gilchrist Transportation Co. by a jury in common pleas court Friday. He said a cable over which he was stepping was stretched taut by the movement of the boat, throwing him high in the air.

Emde Says Steward Broke Man's Arm.

Cleveland, Oct. 19.—Superintendent Emde, of the public charities, now admits that prisoner James Murphy, who was treated for a broken arm by three city physicians at three institutions, received his hurt at the hands of Steward Arthur Abell, of the infirmary farm colony at Warrensville.

Are Not Anxious to Investigate.

Boston, Oct. 19.—In a letter to Mayor Fitzgerald Friday the finance commission refused to summon Senator Henry Cabot Lodge at the request of the mayor, in order that the senator might explain his speech before the recent republican state convention in which he criticized the city administration. The commission states that such action would commit them to a policy of investigating various political rumors.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

Twenty-seven persons were killed or wounded in a railroad wreck at Ohio, Spain.

Eleven buildings were burned at Carrollton, a mining village across the river from Monongahela City, Pa.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending October 12 numbered 194, against 170 in the like week of 1906.

At Shelbyville, Tenn., a democratic mass meeting was held recently and a movement started looking to the nomination of a southern man for president.

The Danish steamer Alfred Eriksen has been wrecked on the rocks off Castle Point, Scotland. She went ashore during a gale and 20 of her crew were drowned.

Thirty large coastwise tugs are idle in the waters of New York City, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Boston, because the two engineers on each tug refuse to work unless a third engineer is employed to help them.

George Kincaid, head foreman of the public works department in Yukon Territory, was arrested at Dawson recently on a charge of stealing \$10,000 from a registered mail sack. The other day Kincaid died suddenly as the result of taking poison.

Gen. Watts Lowers a Record.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 19.—Gen. Watts, a 3-year-old bay colt, on Friday trotted the first heat of the Kentucky stake in 2:05 3/4, establishing a new world's record for 3-year-old trotters and beating the former record of 2:08 3/4 held by Kentucky Todd, made at Columbus, two seconds.

The colt won the second heat in 2:08 3/4, making the fastest two heats ever trotted by a 3-year-old in a race.

Austria's Ruler Does Not Gain.

Vienna, Oct. 19.—While the physical condition of Emperor Francis Joseph improved somewhat during the last 24 hours, his malady, a catarrhal affection, remains practically the same. Thursday night was the worst the patient had passed since the beginning of his illness.

A Yardmaster Is Killed.

Youngstown, O., Oct. 19.—Gomer Phillips, aged 18, assistant yardmaster at the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Co., was struck by a crane and a white hot billet fell on him, killing him instantly.

Standard Oil Inquiry Halts.

New York, Oct. 19.—William G. Rockefeller, assistant treasurer of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, testified Friday in the government's suit for the dissolution of the oil combine, that the Standard was a heavy lender of its surplus funds in Wall street, for which it obtained the prevailing rates of interest.

Mr. Rockefeller made this declaration when asked to account for the loans of \$32,000,000, made by the Standard Oil Company of New York, in 1906 to "interests other than the Standard."

An adjournment of the hearings was announced until December 2, in order that counsel may have time to go over the evidence developed.

Kruger's Grave Is Desecrated.

Johannesburg, Transvaal, Oct. 19.—A sensation has been caused by the discovery that the grave of President Kruger in the cemetery at Pretoria has been desecrated. The marble bust of the ex-president was torn from its base and badly chipped. Other graves in the vicinity, including that of Kruger's grandchild, were slightly damaged. The desecration is believed to be the work of thieves who expected that a reward would be offered for the bust, but which they found too heavy to carry off.

Whitney Gets the Decision.

Boston, Oct. 19.—The ballot law commission announced Friday that it had decided that Henry M. Whitney, of Boston, was legally nominated for governor at the democratic convention at Springfield. As both Mr. Whitney and Gen. Bartlett have filed nomination papers, both will be on the ballot as candidates for governor at the election next month, but by Friday's decision only Mr. Whitney will have the right to use the designation "democrat" in connection with his candidacy.

Indicted for Conspiracy to Defraud.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 19.—Six prominent Milwaukee men charged with conspiracy to defraud the government out of coal lands in Colorado were on Friday held for trial at Denver, Col. United States Commissioner Bloodgood ruled that the government had made out a prima facie case. The defendants are Guy D. Goff, Charles F. Hunter, T. J. Perceles and J. M. Perceles, of the Wisconsin Coal Mining Co., and Charles L. Jones and Elias Arnold, of the Federal Coal and Iron Co.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE.

RETAIL BUSINESS BROADENS
AND COLLECTIONS IMPROVE.

Plates and Structural Material are the Strongest Departments of the Finished Steel Market.

New York, Oct. 19.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Autumn retail trade broadens under the stimulating influence of favorable weather, and collections also improve. While reports are almost unanimous regarding the satisfactory volume of retail distribution of seasonable goods, in other sections of commercial and industrial activity there is some irregularity of trade, even in most cases to high rates for money, which induces conservatism in preparations for the future.

Yet leading cities at the west and south and no restriction in supplementary orders at wholesale, and jobbers report that new lines for spring well received.

Copper declined still lower, but prices were steady in the leading metal industry.

Plates and structural materials are the strongest departments of the finished steel market, and bar mills have enough business to operate during the balance of the year, even if no more orders are received. Consumers feel sanguine that a waiting policy will bring better terms. A fair demand is noted for prompt shipment of merchant steel, very good news being received from makers of shafing.

The textile industry, in the event of the week was the cut in prices by a Chicago house. There was no evidence of weakness in cotton goods prior to that reduction, which in some lines amounted to 20 per cent., and eastern jobbers did not follow the western movement.

Poducers in New England are all sold so far ahead that there is no occasion for concessions, yet the tone of the entire industry was unsettled.

Aeronauts Were Lost at Sea.

Bordeaux, France, Oct. 19.—No trace has been found of Botman and Sharf, the aeronauts who ascended in a balloon from here last Tuesday. It is considered certain that they have been lost at sea.

Another Postponement.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—The meeting of stockholders of the Illinois Central railroad was actually postponed Friday to its time until this afternoon.

The delay was caused by the inability of the committee on proxies to present its report. The checking up of the proxies is a task of such huge proportions that it is uncertain when the committee will be able to report.

When the stockholders met Friday the committee had reached only the letter "H," and at that time had considered merely the domestic proxies. None of those received from abroad had been touched.

Murderer Is Given a Life Sentence.

Boston, Oct. 19.—Walter Stock was sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge Brewster in the superior court Friday for the murder of his sweetheart, Mary Bates, at the street railway waiting room at Roxbury Crossing on April 30.

Rank's Directors Are Forced to Resign.

New York, Oct. 19.—The clearing house on Friday demanded the resignation of the directors of the Mercantile national bank as a condition of the clearing house coming to the assistance of that bank. The resignations were immediately signed and delivered to the president of the clearing house.

It was semi-officially announced that the controller of the currency, Ridgely had accepted the resignation of the Mercantile national bank. The fall in prices in some stocks Friday equaled that in some of the panic periods of the past. The market was at times demoralized.

WIDOW HAD PLAN TO FIX THINGS AS TO JIM'S BODY.

At the cabin of a Tennessee settler where I stopped over night they told me of a widow living three miles away who, finding that the body of her husband had been petrified after lying in the ground for five or six years, had sold it to a showman for \$50 in cash. The people were not at all sentimental, but they didn't look upon the transaction as just right. Next day, as I journeyed along, I stopped at the house of the widow named for a glass of water. When she learned where I had stayed over night she asked: "Did they tell you about my dead husband turning to stone?" "Yes," "And about my selling him to a showman?" "Yes," "And they don't think it is right?" "Oh, they didn't say much." "But I know what they have said to others and how they feel about it. Maybe it wasn't just the right thing to do, but I'll tell you what's in my mind. If I kin get an offer from a rich man I'll marry again, and the first thing after that I'll buy Jim's body back and use it for a gatepost and have him near me all the rest of my life."

How Bears Play.

In a recently published work a naturalist gives some interesting facts concerning the playtime of animals. The bear is supposed by many to be a rather solemn animal, but he is given to pranks at times, and even indulges in antics that closely resemble games played by children.

The naturalist observed three cubs repeatedly playing a game very much like tag. A cub would chase the others, until he caught one with his paw; then the one he hit took up the chase. It may be that the writer's imagination put more system into the play than actually was there. However, bears in zoological gardens have been known to turn somersaults, and they take to dancing so readily that it is easy to train them to take certain steps.

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Negro Knew What He Was After When He Lent the Money.

Ed was a mighty bright negro, belonging to a family in Columbia, Tenn. He had been a faithful servant for many years, and by saving and carefully investing his wages he had belied the usual thriftlessness attributed with more or less justice to the majority of his race. His master was an attorney, and one morning, before he had arisen, the lawyer was called upon by Ed, who said: "Say, boss, Ah wants yo' ter draw me up a mortgage."

"What do you want a mortgage for?" "Well, Ah's done lent Unc' Lisha five dollars, an' Ah wants a mortgage on his caw an' caff."

"For how long have you lent the money?" "Fo' one monf." "One month? Why, the interest on that amount for that time wouldn't pay for the paper a mortgage is written on."

"Boss," said Ed, scratching his head, "Ah ain't carin' nuffin' fo' dat intrust—Ah jes' wants dat niggab's cow an' caff."—Judge.

Up-to-Date Coiffure.

The most up-to-date coiffure is the row of soft tufts crowning the head, and the hair arranged in loose and wavyfulness around the face. The marcel wave is no longer fashionable—a slight natural undulation, clusters of smooth curls mounted at the apex of the head is considered more distinctive than the formal artificial head-dress which has been the prevailing mode for so long.

Useful Autumn Costumes.

A useful possession for early autumn is a tweed exactly the color of butcher-blue linen, and a suit of this bound with dull brown, accompanied by a brown hat bound with blue and trimmed with jays' wings in various shades of brown, with a note of blue at the side, is the suggestion offered for an ensemble not too stark and wintry for the present moment.

Old Relics Found.

Whilst making excavations at the Cape Town railway station for wall-building purposes last year, some workmen found several loose stones with inscriptions, such as were used by the captains of ships calling at the Cape before Van Riebeeck had built his little fort, to denote the places where letters might be found. Further search revealed the flight of stops on the old seashore, which constituted the first landing place for persons arriving by sea, and may have been used by Van Riebeeck himself. The stones were found at a depth of over 20 feet, and with them a small tobacco pipe and a key. All the relics have now been placed in an alcove on the station platform, erected at the exact spot where they were found, and an inscription in both English and Dutch tells their history to travelers.

Simple Dressing Jackets.

Any pretty cotton material, such as lawn, zephyr or muslin can be used for this little jacket. The sleeves are cut with kimono effect, and the fronts are slightly wrapped from the bust;

the edge is trimmed with bands of plain lawn or zephyr stitched at each edge.

Materials required: Three and one-half yards 28 inches wide, three-quarters yards plain lawn.

Rich Tones to Be Popular.

All the deep, rich tones for toilettes and wraps and a prevalence of velvet flowers and soft sweeping plumage for millinery garnishments are being exploited at the best shops. Many of the colors that were fashionable during the summer are now being brought out in heavier tones for winter, a number of them taking on foreign hues never before seen. After all is carefully considered it is almost assured that the shades now for excellence for the entire season will be purples, and such ecclesiastical tones as rich plum, violet, hyacinth and amethyst.

Materials already on sale make a splendid showing in these colors. In the new silks and velvets these tones are particularly attractive, also in uncut velvets, for which there is a noticeable liking in millinery. Hats are being covered with it and faced with silk of contrasting color matching the accessory color in the costumes they accompany.

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